UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

MANUEL L. BOJORQUEZ,

Petitioner,

ORDER ACCEPTING FINDINGS

AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF

V.

OF UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE

WARDEN RANDY GROUNDS,

Respondent.

NO. CV 11-4324-JAK (MAN)

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Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636, the Court has reviewed the Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus ("Petition"), all of the records herein, the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge ("Report"), and Petitioner's Objections to the Report. The Court has conducted a de novo review of those portions of the Report to which objections have been stated in writing.

The Court notes that, in his Objections, Petitioner has raised new factual allegations and attached documents that were not included with the Petition. A district court has discretion, but is not required, to consider evidence or claims presented for the first time in objections to a report and recommendation. See Brown v. Roe, 279 F.3d 742, 744-45

(9th Cir. 2002); <u>United States v. Howell</u>, 231 F.3d 615, 621-22 (9th Cir. The Court has exercised its discretion to consider additional allegations and exhibits presented in and Having done so, the Court accepts the findings Objections. recommendations set forth in the Report. Petitioner complains that the Magistrate Judge erred in concluding that Ground One of the Petition is unexhausted based on the sworn allegations of the Petition, which indicate that Ground One unexhausted. Petitioner asserts that his allegations in the Petition were mistaken and that, in fact, he fairly presented Ground One to all

documents also do not establish any error in the Report.

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Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED that federal habeas relief is denied and Judgment shall be entered dismissing this action with prejudice.

three state courts. Even assuming, arguendo, that Ground One may be

exhausted, the claim nonetheless must be denied for the reasons set

forth in the Report at pages 6-7, because it is not cognizable on

federal habeas review. Petitioner's remaining new allegations and

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LET JUDGMENT BE ENTERED ACCORDINGLY.

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DATED: <u>July 18, 2011</u>.

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JOHN A. KRONSTADT UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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